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1. The Sub-Committee of the House Expenditures Committee, consisting of Clarence Brown (R., O.) as Chairman, Clare Hoffman (R., Mich.) and John McCormack (D., Mass.), has been set up to investigate the Central Intelligence Agency in connection with the knowledge or lack thereof of information regarding the revolution in Colombia. The first meeting with the Director is scheduled for 15 April at 1400 hours. Informed by Mr. Sullivan of the Committee staff that there are certain affidavits in their files made by the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars regarding our alleged dismissal of good intelligence personnel. These will presumably not be the subject of investigation at this time.

2. Showed to Congressman Busbey (R., Ill.), on the Director's instructions, a summary of messages delivered to the American Ambassador in Bogota regarding unrest at the time of the conference. Mr. Busbey stated that this did not satisfy him as they were merely excerpts which gave him no opportunity to evaluate same in the light of the overall picture.

3. Sen. Lodge (R., Mass) called re [redacted]

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